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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PINS, NG

SUBJECT: GON DEMAND FOR PAO RECALL

NDJAMENA FOR MCGINLEY, USIA

REF: STATE 17655

1. I, TOO, AM PERPLEXED AS TO REASONS WHY GON IS PURSUING SUCH A DRASTIC COURSE OF ACTION IN PAO'S CASE. I CAN OFFER ONLY CONJECTURE THAT STUDENT/TEACHER STRIKE, PAMPHLETEERING AND POLITICIZING HAVE SO SERIOUSLY DISTURBED HIGHEST LEVELS OF GOVERNMENT THAT IMPULSE IS TO LASH OUT SEVERELY AGAINST ANYONE CONNECTED WITH INCIDENTS EVEN INDIRECTLY OR UNWITTINGLY. WHILE ONLY SMALL NUMBER ACTIVISTS INVOLVED, BELIEVE THEIR MESSAGE ALLEGING GOVERNMENTAL MISMANAGEMENT, FAVORITISM, INEQUITIES AND PROFITEERING HAVE MADE TELLING IMPACT ON IMPOVERISHED POPULATION SUFFERING FROM PROLONGED DROUGHT. THUS IT WIDELY EXPECTED THAT DISSIDENT RINGLEADERS WILL SOON BE SENTENCED TO INORDINATELY STIFF PRISON TERMS. DEPT WILL ALSO RECALL THAT FRENCH CITIZEN DIRECTOR OF PEDAGOGIC INSTITUTE FULLENWORTH (NIAMEY 3364) WAS EXPELLED ON 48 HOURS NOTICE BECAUSE STUDENT ANTI-GON TRACTS WERE TRACED TO  
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INSTITUTE ALTHOUGH THERE WAS ALSO STRONG SUSPICION THAT FULLENWORTH KNOWINGLY TURNED HIS EYES THE OTHER WAY.

2. IN ADDITION TO CURRENT HYPERSENSITIVE ATMOSPHERE IN  
NIGER REGARDING STUDENT/TEACHER DISSIDENCE, THERE IS ALSO THE  
UNKNOWN EFFECT OF THE INTERPLAY OF PERSONALITIES.  
TO WHAT EXTENT YOUSSEFOU, MINISTRY OFFICIALS OR OTHERS ARE  
INFLUENCING PRESIDENT DIORI CANNOT BE ACCURATELY ASSESSED.

3. I HAVE REQUESTED APPOINTMENT WITH PRESIDENT DIORI AND HAVE  
BEEN TOLD THAT HE WILL SEE ME THIS EVENING JANUARY 27.  
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